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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Citation of Related U.S. Patent Applications

The Examiner's attention is directed to the following related co-pending U.S. patent applications:

Examiner's Initials	Inventor	U.S. Serial No.	U.S. Filing Date	PCT Publication No.	PCT Publication Date
	Pease et al.	10/203,154	8/6/02	PCT/GB01/00824 WO 01/64655	Sept. 7, 2001
	Pease et al.	10/220,139	08/28/02	PCT/GB01/00782 WO 01/64654	Sept. 7, 2001
	Pease et al.	10/203,025	8/5/02	PCT/GB01/00829 WO 01/64656	Sept. 7, 2001
	Pease et al.	10/203,549	8/8/02	PCT/GB01/00794 WO 01/64653	Sept. 7, 2001
	Thomas et al.	10/239,790	09/25/2002	PCT/GB01/01264 WO 01/72717	Oct. 4, 2001
	Thomas et al.		01/07/03	PCT/GB01/03084 WO 01/04429	Jan. 17, 2002

A copy of the specification and claims for each application, in the form of the published PCT application from which such application was filed, has previously been provided.

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Consideration of each listed application is earnestly solicited since unpublished patent applications are contemplated as IDS material; see the exception in Rule 98(a)(2)(iii) and note the penultimate sentence of MPEP 609.

Further, in keeping with MPEP 609, Subsec. C(2), 2nd para., line 10 to end of the paragraph (especially note lines 18-25) PLEASE RETURN A COPY OF THIS LETTER with the Examiner's initials adjacent each above listing so that applicant will know that each listed application has been considered as required by PTO policy.

Citation of Documents

Attached is a Form PTO-1449 listing the enclosed documents.

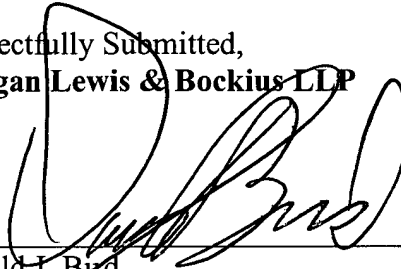
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Consideration of the foregoing and enclosures plus the return of a copy of the herewith filed Form PTO-1449 with the Examiner's initials in the left column per MPEP 609 along with an early action on the merits of this application are earnestly solicited.

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